

UNAPPROVED

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

MINUTES

SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE “B”

TIME AND PLACE: Special Conference Committee “B” convened on January 27, 2017, at 9:03 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, VA 23233.

FIRST CONFERENCE: 9:03 a.m.

PRESIDING: John M. Alexander, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Carol R. Russek, J.D.
Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

STAFF PRESENT: Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Lori L. Pound, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM: All three members of the Committee were present.

Talib S. Ali, D.D.S.
Case No.: 172945 Dr. Ali appeared with counsel, Kenneth Hirtz, to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated October 28, 2016. The Committee received statements from Dr. Ali and Mr. Hirtz and discussed the allegations with them.

Closed Meeting: Ms. Russek moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Talib S. Ali. Additionally, Ms. Russek moved that Ms. Palmatier, Ms. Lee, and Ms. Pound attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene: Ms. Russek moved that the Committee certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and passed.

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**DECISION:
Case No.: 172945**

The sanction reported by Ms. Pound was that within 6 months from the date of entry of the Order, Dr. Ali shall successfully complete a 10 credit hour continuing education course in the subject of advanced implant placement and treatment planning.

Dr. Petticolas moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

SECOND CONFERENCE:

11:48 a.m.

PRESIDING:

John M. Alexander, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Carol R. Russek, J.D.
Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

STAFF PRESENT:

Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Shevaun Roukous, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM:

All three members of the Committee were present.

**Sawsan M. Salih, D.D.S.,
Applicant
Case No.: 174650**

Dr. Salih appeared without counsel to discuss her Application for a License to Practice Dentistry in the Commonwealth of Virginia by examination and the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated November 17, 2016. The Committee received statements from Dr. Salih and discussed the allegations with her.

Closed Meeting:

Ms. Russek moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Sawsan Salih. Additionally, Ms. Russek moved that Ms. Palmatier, Ms. Lee, and Ms. Roukous attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene:

Ms. Russek moved that the Committee certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and passed.

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**DECISION:
Case No.: 174650**

Ms. Roukous reported that the Committee denied Dr. Salih’s Application for a License to Practice Dentistry in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Ms. Russek moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

THIRD CONFERENCE:

1:20 p.m.

PRESIDING:

John M. Alexander, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Carol R. Russek, J.D.
Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

STAFF PRESENT:

Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Shevaun Roukous, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM:

All three members of the Committee were present.

**Wendy B. Wimmer,
R.D.H., Applicant
Case No.: 177160**

Ms. Wimmer appeared without counsel to discuss her Application for a License to Practice Dental Hygiene in the Commonwealth of Virginia by examination and the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated January 18, 2017. Joseph Wimmer, husband, appeared on behalf of Ms. Wimmer. The Committee received statements from Ms. Wimmer and Mr. Wimmer and discussed the allegations with them.

Closed Meeting:

Ms. Russek moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Wendy B. Wimmer. Additionally, Ms. Russek moved that Ms. Palmatier, Ms. Lee, and Ms. Roukous attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene:

Ms. Russek moved that the Committee certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and passed

**DECISION:
Case No.: 177160**

Ms. Roukous reported that the Committee denied Ms. Wimmer’s Application for a License to Practice Dental

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Hygiene in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Dr. Petticolas moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

FOURTH CONFERENCE: 2:45 p.m.

PRESIDING: John M. Alexander, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Carol R. Russek, J.D.
Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

STAFF PRESENT: Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Elena Callwood, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM: All three members of the Committee were present.

David C. Anderson, D.D.S.
Case Nos.: 159635, 159774,
161396
Dr. Anderson appeared without counsel to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated October 19, 2016. The Committee received statements from Dr. Anderson and discussed the allegations with him.

Closed Meeting: Ms. Russek moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of David C. Anderson. Additionally, Ms. Russek moved that Ms. Palmatier, Ms. Lee, and Ms. Callwood attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene: Ms. Russek moved that the Committee certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and passed.

DECISION:
Case Nos.: 159635, 159774,
161396
The sanctions reported by Ms. Callwood were that within 6 months from the date of entry of the Order, Dr. Anderson shall successfully complete a 7 credit hour continuing education course in the subject of recordkeeping and risk management; and a 4 credit hour continuing education course in the subject of OSHA and infection control.

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Dr. Petticolas moved to adopt the decision of the Committee.
The motion was seconded and passed.

Approval of Minutes:

Upon a motion by Dr. Petticolas, the minutes from the Informal Conference conducted on December 2, 2016 were approved.

ADJOURNMENT:

With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

John M. Alexander, D.D.S., Chair

Sandra K. Reen, Executive Director

Date

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